

Athens Township, Athens County, Ohio

Board of Trustees Meeting in Regular Session on Tuesday, January 11, 2021, 5:30 PM
at the Athens Township Hall, 313 W. Union Street, Athens, Ohio 45701

NOTE: Because of the COVID-19 health emergency anyone attending the meeting will be required to wear a facial mask and observe social distancing. If the number of attendees exceeds ten (10) then the meeting will also be broadcast at [freeconferencecall.com](https://www.freeconferencecall.com), meeting ID bcx11

- Call to Order
- Roll Call of Officers
- Guests wishing to speak
 - Jim Norris – Plains Lions Club
- Approval of Minutes and Fund Account Balances
 - **Regular Meeting of December 22, 2020**

Regular Business

- The Plains Volunteer Fire Department
- The Plains Community Park
 - ODNR NatureWorks Project completion date extension approved until June 30, 2021
 - Remove playground equipment at Plains Community Park
 - Tentative playground installation date of January 11, 2021 extended, Mid-State Recreation
 - Bicycle rack and bicycle repair station installation
 - Blessing Box
- Road Foreman's report and/or comment
 - Radio repairs
 - Truck hydraulic repairs
 - Salt and grits stockpiles
 - Homeland Security radio inventory

Old Business

- Brookside Way storm water study and remedial mitigation strategies
- Naming TR 1012 (Michaels Street), TR 1214 (East and West Verity Street), TR 1215 (Old School Street) and an unnamed/unnumbered alley (Emaline Street)
- Athens Township Right-of-Way Use Permit application revisions
- Letter to Commissioners regarding 32/50 sanitary sewer project
- Recruit BZA members, 5 seated-2 alternates
- Contact Athens City-County Health Department for possible zoning enforcement/zoning inspector
- Legal Notice of meeting dates, Trustees and Zoning Commission

New Business

- Right-of-way use applications
 - Residential parking, 6509 Frum Road – Jeremy Dixon
 - Frontier Communications, pole replacement on E. First Street
 - ZAYO Group, buried fiber optic conduit on Armitage Road
 - Columbia Gas, line relocations for 32/50 sanitary sewer project
- Extension for expenditure of CARES Act funds to December 31, 2021, \$34,000.00 balance
- Trees on Northpoint Drive and tree on Lemaster Road – Chris Demel and Scott Thompson

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- Electric service – Elm Street TAP Grant Project – new total project cost estimate \$633,564.80
- Pepper Lane storm drainage – Laura Gilmore
- Automated gate at Twp. Hall – Citywide Solutions, \$14,672.68 quote
- Culvert at S. Blackburn Road and Hooper Road – Ronnie Ervin
- Athens Area Chamber of Commerce 2021 membership - \$250.00
- OTA Winter Conference – virtual, Feb. 1 – Feb 5, 2021
- Ohio OBM Local/Regional Finance Summit – virtual, Jan. 14, 2021. 11:00 am – 12:30 pm
- Athens County Regional Planning Commission meeting, Jan. 14, 2021
- Pavement Technology webinar – Jan. 28, 2021, 1:00 – 1:30 pm
- ODOT “Safe Routes to School” grant application due by Feb. 12, 2021
- Access to Plains Community Park video surveillance system
- Howard’s Septic Service request to bid park and Indian Mound Festival

Officer’s reports and/or comments

- Ted Linscott
- Brian Baker
- Steve Pierson
- Brenda Cox

Executive Session

- Under *ORC 121.22 (G) (1)* to consider the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation of a public employee or official, or the investigation of charges or complaints against a public employee, official, licensee, or regulated individual.

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Adjournment

Next Regular Meeting: Tuesday, January 26, 2021, 5:30 PM, Athens Township Hall, 313 W. Union Street